

Claim Listing

1. (Currently amended) A method for scheduling call consultations, comprising:  
receiving on a computer an electronic request from a first participant for one or more on call dates, said on call dates being dates on which said participant is willing to provide expert advice;  
assigning with said computer one or more on call dates to said participant; and  
notifying with said computer potential callers of said participant's on call dates and qualifications.
2. (Original) A method as in claim 1, further comprising receiving electronic feedback information from one or more callers who have called said first participant during said one or more assigned on call dates, and recording said feedback information in an electronic database.
3. (Original) A method as in claim 1, further comprising assigning said participant to a group associated with a topic, and wherein a potential caller does not have access to contact information for said participant unless said potential caller has indicated an interest in said topic.
4. (Currently amended) A method as in claim 3, wherein said interest is indicated by said potential caller requesting to speak with a participant associated with said topic.
5. (Original) A method as in claim 3, wherein said interest is indicated by said potential caller attending one or more events associated with said topic.
6. (Original) A method as in claim 3, wherein said interest is indicated by said potential caller downloading one or more publications associated with said topic.
7. (Original) A method as in claim 2, further comprising:  
associating said participant with a topic,  
wherein a predetermined number of callers have expressed interest in said topic, and wherein said participant has received positive feedback for one or more calls related to said topic; and

transmitting an electronic invitation to said participant to request an on call date relating to said topic.